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David - Per Chris Rowe's email below, she appears interested in apply for TASC assistance again(!). As you know, in the past I have been opposed to providing TASC assistance to "single interest" portions of the community. I am in favor of bringing a TASC advisor to SSFL if the advisor represents/consults/interacts with a broad range of SSFL stakeholders. If and when this request comes in from Chris Rowe, you can work with Mary and Andy on this issue. Craig

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Dear Craig,

After reading some comments from Abe, I can't think of a better time to bring in EPA TASC than related to the Background Study and the statistical method that Abe is now questioning.

This is the exact time that we need an independent consultant - one that will not necessarily agree with DOE or EPA - one truly independent.

That is why we need TASC. I plan to submit a new formal request.

The EPA had told me a while back that they may be able to bring in TASC in conjunction with DTSC and the PPG. We could have used that.

Are you going to be at the next PPG meeting? Are you doing a presentation?

Thanks!

Chris